

Welcome Message from Workshops Chair

The GI/ITG International Conference on Architecture of Computing Systems (ARCS) looks back at more than 30 years of tradition in reporting high quality results in computer architecture as well as operating systems research. ARCS has become an important forum for research in these areas and has a long tradition of hosting associated workshops complementing the programme of the conference with specific topics extending the technical scope of the conference. This year, ARCS 2018 was organised at Technical University of Braunschweig, Germany, from April 9 to April 12, 2018. This year, the following workshops were held within ARCS:

- 14th Workshop on *Dependability and Fault Tolerance* (VERFE'18)
- 2nd Workshop on *Computer Architectures in Spaceflight* (CompSpace 2018)
- 6th International Workshop on *Self-optimisation in Organic and Autonomic Computing Systems* (SAOS'18)
- 3rd Workshop of the *Multi-Core Safe and Software-intensive Systems Improvement Community* (FORMUS³IC).
- 13th Workshop on *Parallel Systems and Algorithms* (PASA 2018)

In addition to invited talks all workshops comprised presentations of papers selected through a thorough peer reviewing process on submitted papers. These proceedings consist of all papers selected by the workshop organisers and programme committees.

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Enjoy reading the papers – I am confident that they will contribute to new research ideas and results. Finally, a big thank you goes to all of you for being part of the ARCS community, and we are looking forward to welcoming you in the future as an author and as a workshop or tutorial organiser!

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